## COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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In the Matter of

APPLICATION OF THE UNION LIGHT, HEAT AND )
POWER COMPANY FOR A CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC )
CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY TO BID ON AN )
ELECTRIC FRANCHISE IN THE CITY OF TAYLOR )
MILL, KENTON COUNTY, KENTUCKY )

## ORDER

On the 26th day of February, 1981. The Union Light, Heat and Power Company filed its Application seeking a certificate of convenience and necessity to bid on an electric franchise from the City of Taylor Mill, Kentucky. Pursuant to the provisions of KRS 278.020(3) no utility may apply for a franchise from any governmental agency until it has obtained a certificate of convenience and necessity from the Commission based on a finding that there is a need and demand for the service sought to be rendered.

A hearing in this matter was held in the Commission's offices at Frankfort, Kentucky on March 17, 1981.

The Commission, having considered the matter and being advised, is of the opinion and finds that there is a need and demand for electric service in the City of Taylor Mill, Kentucky. Since the Commission's authority in such matters is limited by statute to a determination as to whether there is a need and demand for the service, no finding or determination is made herein as to the validity of any of the provisions of the franchise

offered by the City or the manner in which any franchise fee is to be treated for rate purposes.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED That The Union Light, Heat and Power Company be and it hereby is granted a certificate of convenience and necessity to bid on an electric franchise in the City of Taylor Mill, Kentucky.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED That The Union Light, Heat and Power Company, should it become the successful bidder, file with the Commission a copy of the franchise.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED That this Order shall not be construed as granting a certificate of convenience and necessity to construct utility facilities in the City.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 19th day of March, 1981.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Chairman

Katherine Bandall

Vice Chairman

Commissioner Langin

ATTEST:

Secretary